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AT DEATH. DIED: administration bond granted on April 27, 1787, in Baltimore County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, £1,759.9.2 current money (including 42 slaves and plate); FB, estate overpaid £355.16.6. His debts included over £1,800 current money owed to *Daniel Dulany*, *Jr.* (1722–1797) as executor of the estate of Ann Tasker, widow of *Benjamin Tasker* (ca. 1690–1768). LAND: ca. 2,064 acres in Baltimore County, plus 2 lots in Baltimore Town.

FRANKLYN, JOHN (?-1727). IMMIGRATED: by 1687. RESIDED: in All Hallow's Parish, Somerset County. CHILDREN. SON: Ebenezer (?-1728). DAUGHTERS: Elizabeth, who married (first name unknown) Wallon; Mary, who married William Collins: and (first name unknown), who married William Fassitt. PRIVATE CARFER. EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Protestant, possibly a Presbyterian. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVI-TIES: Gent., 1726/27. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Somerset County, 1701-1704, 1708A, 1708B-1711, LOCAL OFFICES: Snow Hill Parish Vestry, Somerset County, 1696/97; justice, Somerset County, 1697-1715 (quorum, 1705-1715). MILITARY SERVICE: captain, 1701-1711; major, 1711-1715; lieutenant colonel, 1715-1727. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME, LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: 1,225 acres in 1709. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: will probated on November 24, 1727. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, £70.7.6. LAND: 1,425 acres.

FRASER (FRAZER, FRAZIER), GEORGE (?-1764). BORN: probably after 1709. NATIVE: second generation. RESIDED: at "Bowplains" on the Potomac River, Prince George's County, opposite Alexandria, Virginia. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FA-THER: Rev. John Fraser (?-1742), who immigrated from Virginia in 1701; rector of Durham Parish in Charles County from 1705 to 1710, and King George's Parish in Prince George's County by 1733 to 1742. MOTHER: Ann (?-after 1764), daughter of Giles Blyzard and wife Mary. BROTHER: John (?-1742). SISTERS: Mary (by 1709-?), who married William Magruder (?-1765), son of Samuel Magruder (1654-1711) and brother of John Magruder (1694-1750); Susannah (?-by 1746), who married John Hawkins, Jr. (1713-1757); Anne (1718-1779), who married in 1748 Allen Bowie; and Verlinda. NEPHEW: George Fraser Hawkins (ca. 1741-1785). NIECE: Susanna Fraser Hawkins, who married William Bayly (ca. 1742-1824). OTHER KINSHIP: his stepgrandfather

was James Smallwood (ca. 1639-ca. 1714/15), PRI-VATE CAREER, EDUCATION: literate, RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Anglican, King George's Parish, Prince George's County. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Mr., 1739; Gent., 1742; Esq., 1764. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: probably a planter. PUB-LIC CAREER, LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Prince George's County, 1752-1754 (elected to the 2nd session to fill vacancy), 1754-1757 (Arms and Ammunition 1-6: Bills of Credit 5), 1757-1758 (Arms and Ammunition 1, Cv. 2), 1758-1761 (Arms and Ammunition 2, 3, Cv 3). LOCAL OF-FICES: King George's Parish Vestry, Prince George's County, in office 1741-1743, 1747-1750, 1752-1755, 1760-1763; justice, Prince George's County, 1741-at least 1757 (quorum, 1752-at least 1757), WEALTH DURING LIFETIME, LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: 2,190 acres in Prince George's and Frederick counties (1,170 acres in Prince George's County, part of which was deeded as a gift by his father the remainder inherited from his father and brother; 355 acres in Prince George's County by purchase; and 665 acres in Frederick County by patent). SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH: acquired an additional 300 acres in Prince George's County to add to his 500-acre dwelling plantation between 1753 and 1761; acquired a house and lot in Georgetown, Frederick County, by 1764. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: in December 1764 at his seat in Prince George's County. LAND: 2,490 acres in Prince George's and Frederick counties, plus a house and a lot in Georgetown, Frederick County. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: His principal heirs were his mother, his sister Verlinda, and his nephew George Fraser Hawkins (ca. 1741-1785).

FRAZIER (FRAIZER, FRASER, FRAZER), ALEXANDER (?-1790). BORN: between 1756 and 1763, probably in Calvert County. NATIVE: at least second generation. RESIDED: at "Sterlings Nest," Calvert County. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FATHER: Alexander Frazier (?-1779), of Calvert County. BROTHER: John, a minor in 1790. MARRIED never. CHILDREN. Died without progeny. PRIVATE CA-REER. EDUCATION: literate. OCCUPATIONAL PRO-FILE: planter; ran a blacksmith shop on his property with James Patison as his partner. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Calvert County, 1784 (Elections), 1785, 1788, 1789. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. PERSONAL PROPERTY: assessed value £711.10.0, including 18 slaves, 1783. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: charged with at least 740 acres in Calvert County in 1783,